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From

The H. A. Resident in Mysore.

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Forwards copy of letter no: 7864 dt 15.8.16 from the Govt. of India Army Dept: for info. & favour of necessary action:

NOTES AND ORDERS.

As wide publicity is intended to be given to the Circular it seems best to communicate it to Heads of Depts: & Dy. Comrs of Districts: Dft Subd.

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Mysore Resident's Office, 261-16
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A copy of the foregoing letter is forwarded to the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore for information and favour of necessary action.

J. Sr. G. Lucas

First Assistant Resident.

INSTRUCTIONS REGARDING PAY, PAYMENT OF FAMILY ALLOTMENTS AND PENSIONS OF INDIAN TROOPS AND FOLLOWERS AND THE INDIAN PERSONNEL OF BRITISH UNITS WHO HAVE PROCEEDED ON FIELD SERVICE -- OVERSEAS.

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Family Allotments.

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If after six months no information has been received as regard a man reported as missing he is viewed as having died and -- arrangements are made for admitting the family to pension which is granted from the date of the casuality, recovery of any allotment paid in excess being waived and any ~~deficiency~~ deficiency

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Sd/- C.W.G. RICHARDSON, Brigadier General,
for Adjutant-General in India

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By order.
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SUBJECT.

Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore.

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G. O. No. G. 4045-94—G. M. 261-16-2, dated 19th September 1916.

Family Allotments and Pensions.

Regulates payment of — of Indian troops and followers on Field Service.

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No. G. 4045-94—G. M. 261-16-2, DATED 19TH SEPTEMBER 1916.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE GOVERNMENT OF HIS HIGHNESS THE MAHARAJA OF MYSORE.

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By Order,
D. M. NARASINGA RAO,
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On return from Field Service.

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Invalided or discharged from the service.

Pay. Payment of all arrears which may be due can be made with reference to the entries in service or pay books. (*Vide* Army Department letter No. H. 3256, dated 27th April 1916.)

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Missing.

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Two spare copies of encl: to First assistant Resident's endt: No. 6267 dt/ 6-9-16.

Acco
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